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1. CHANGE OF COMMAND:

UNIT	DATE/ TIME	LOCATION	OUTGOING	INCOMING
2/54 th IN Bn	21 Jun, 0900	Kannel Field, Sand Hill	LTC J. Lowder	LTC D. Miller

2. FIELD OFFICER OF THE DAY/STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

FOD duty is at IN Hall (Rm 650): weekdays, 1600; weekend/holiday, 1600 last duty day; payday activities, 1130. SDO duty is at IN Hall, EOC Rm W-87, then to Rm 111,

weekdays, 1500; weekend/holiday, 1500 last duty day; payday activities, 1200.

DATE	FOD/SDO NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE
*17 JUN 00	MAJ MCGUIRE, M.	11 TH IN REGT	545-9777
*17 JUN 00	CPT KENNEDY, M.	3/3 ID	545-2507
*18 JUN 00	MAJ TURNER, DONNIE	11 [™] IN REGT	545-9214
*18 JUN 00	CPT VALERIANO, C.	3/3 ID	545-2507
19 JUN 00	LTC CUMMINGS, T.	11 [™] IN REGT	545-1915
19 JUN 00	CPT HEWITT, J.	11 [™] IN REGT	545-7361
20 JUN 00	MAJ TURNER, D.	11 TH IN REGT	545-9214
20 JUN 00	CPT HOLLIFIELD, C.	3/3 ID	545-2507
21 JUN 00	LTC ORONA, P.	USARSA	545-3432
21 JUN 00	UNAVAILABLE		
22 JUN OO	MAJ SCHRANKEL, C.	3/3 ID	545-2507
22 JUN 00	CPT GRANTRZ, J.	11 TH IN REGT	545-4023
23 JUN 00	MAJ NEGRON, J.	USARSSA	545-7840
23 JUN 00	CPT TYSON, R.	11 [™] IN REGT	545-2507

* INDICATES WEEKEND/HOLIDAY DUTIES

POC is SPC Scott, 545-5127.

- **3. REMINDER:** Men's Health & Fitness Expo, Saturday, 17 Jun, 0900-1700 at the Columbus Iron Works Convention & Trade Center. Free Screening for Men, Free Health Workshops, Exhibits, Prizes, Demonstrations, and Contests.
- **4. STAFF DUTY CHAPLAIN:** The Staff Duty Chaplain can be reached for emergencies during non-duty hours through the Staff Duty Officer, Infantry Hall, 545-2218.
- **5. MILITARY POLICE:** Official emergency telephone numbers for the Fort Benning MP Desk (911, 545-5222/3/4) are recorded for accuracy of record purposes (AR 190-30). POC is CPT Sides/MSG Jones, Law Enforcement Division, 545-4376.
- **6. RECORDING RADIO NETS AND TELEPHONES:** All radio communications on the Range Division radio nets and all telephone conversations on telephone numbers 545-3474 and 545-3479 are recorded 24 hours a day for emergency and safety information. All other telephone numbers for Range Division are not recorded. POC is Range Division, 545-2153.
- 7. SPECIAL FORCES RECRUITING TEAM: The Special Forces want professional enlisted and officer volunteers seeking their next challenge in the Army. If you are an enlisted Soldier in the rank of PFC through SSG with a GT score of 100 or higher, or you are a commissioned officer in year group 1995 through 1998, you can apply for Special Forces training. Are you up to the challenge of a lifetime? If so, you can receive training as a member of an A-Team. If you are a person who can accomplish the mission when others can't or just won't, then Special Forces is for you. The time to act is now. Volunteer today and become one of America's consummate Soldiers. For more information on Special Forces, access the web page at www-benning.army.mil/fbhome/Sforce/index.html or contact your Special Forces Recruiting Team at 706-545-3079 or DSN 835-3079. CPT Thomas Jarzen, SFC Andy Wilson and SFC Thomas Nichols will assist you in preparing for Special Forces training. POC is CPT Thomas D. Jarzen, DSN 835-3079 or 706-545-3079.

8. MARTIN ARMY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL:

a. The Brace Shop will be closed from 26 Jun - 4 Jul. For

- assistance during this time please call the Orthopedic Clinic at 544-4862.
- b. A TRICARE briefing can be conducted for units, family support groups, and other organizations--to schedule an appointment call Terry Beckwith at 544-4950.
- c. The American Red Cross accepts donations of old magazines and books on behalf of MACH. Drop your donations off at the Red Cross Office or at the MACH Information Desk.
- d. Have you visited MACH lately and misplaced anything? The Lost and Found is located in the HQs Admin office. Stop by and see if any of your missed belongings are there.
- e. If you are ill, call 544-CARE (2273) CENTRAL TRIAGE to speak to a nurse.
- **9. ARMY OIL ANALYSIS PROGRAM (AOAP):** Commanders are reminded that unit AOAP Monitors are still required to be trained and certified by the Installation AOAP Monitor even though Fort Benning no longer operates an AOAP laboratory. POC is Leroy Smith, 545-2203
- **10. FAST CLASS SCHEDULE:** The FAST instruction is for Soldiers who want to raise their GT Scores. Classes will be offered for morning and afternoon sessions, 0800-1145 and 1300-1645, Bldg 9004. Each class consists of 15 days. For more information, call Mr. Robinson at 544-1716. Testing will be given during the entire month.

First Class: 19 Jun - 11 Jul, 0800-1145. Second Class: 26 Jun - 18 Jul, 0800-1145. Third Class: 26 Jun - 18 Jul, 1300-1645.

- 11. RECLAMATION CLOTHING SALE: The Reclamation Clothing Sale will be held on Friday, 7 Jul, 1000-1400, Bldg 224. Sale items will be priced to 25 percent of acquisition cost rounded up to the nearest dollar. Each customer will be limited to \$150.00 total purchase. Payments will be accepted in the form of cash or personal checks. Persons authorized to purchase personal clothing at the sale include all active duty personnel of all branches of the Armed Forces. Sales to retired members of the Armed Forces are limited to Class A uniforms (including accessories) and dress shoes. Proper identification is required. POC is Mr. Wimmer, 545-1972.
- 12. INSTALLATION MENU BOARD MEETING: The Installation Menu Board Meeting will be held Thursday, 29 Jun, at the Cook School (Bldg 2760) at 0900. Attendance of all unit Food Advisors and/or representative from all Food Service Activities is required. Food Advisors are encouraged to bring enlisted diners from their command to the Menu Board Meeting. POC is Mr. Hilton, 545-3750/7970.
- **13. ENVIROMENTAL CLASSES:** The following environmental classes are scheduled for July:
- Senior Environmental Compliance Officer's (SECO) Course -27 Jul, 1300-1630, Bldg 6, RM 324.
- Hazardous Waste Manager's Course 11 Jul, 0800-1600, Bldg 385, Self Help Classroom.
- Hazardous Waste Manager's Course 25 Jul, 0800-1600, Bldg 385, Self Help Classroom.

Contact Wendy Duffy, 545-4218, Tom Tuten, 545-7580, or Ted Williams, 545-7579, to reserve a space in the classes.

14. GEORGIA POLICE CORPS SCHOLARSHIPS:

a. The State of Georgia has received funding from the U.S. Department of Justice for participation in the National Police Corps Program. This initiative, coordinated by the Georgia Public Safety

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Training Center, offers college scholarships and police academy training to students willing to commit at least four years of service as a local law enforcement officer in a Georgia community.

- b. Participants are eligible to receive up to \$7,500 per year for educational expenses (\$30,000 maximum) and may attend any accredited four-year college or university, including out-of-state institutions. Participants may pursue a degree in any accredited field of study. In some cases, seniors may be admitted into the program and receive reimbursement retroactively for their freshman, sophomore, and junior years.
- c. In addition to scholarship benefits, the program pays tuition, subsistence and other costs associated with basic law enforcement training and certification. Also, agencies that hire participants are eligible to receive salary supplements of \$10,000 per year for each of the participant's four years of required service. As a secondary benefit, agency costs associated with basic training and certification are eliminated.
- d. The Training Center has funding for forty (40) Police Corps scholarships and is currently in the process of receiving applications. If you are interested, you are invited to apply for this extraordinary program. You may contact Mr. Robert "Bob" Gaylor, Director of the Georgia Police Corps, at (912) 993-4629 or e-mail him atbgaylor@gpstc.state.ga.us. Mr. Gaylor's address is The Georgia Police Corps, 1000 Indian Springs Drive, Forsyth, GA 31029.
- 15. FREE EDUCATION FOR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY AND THEIR DEPENDENTS: The Georgia HOPE Scholarship Grant is now available to all active duty military personnel stationed at Ft. Benning and living in Georgia. Certificates and Diplomas are available for numerous programs. There is even help available for people who haven't completed a high school education, in the form of financial assistance for taking GED Prep classes. The HOPE Program pays all tuition, fees, and up to \$100 for textbooks. Save your GI Bill for higher education. Come by our office, Bldg 2614, Soldiers' Plaza or call Mr. Quick or Mr. West at 685-8549. Note to CSMs and 1SGs: Mr. Quick is willing to come into the units and explain the HOPE Program to interested Soldiers. Call the above number and schedule a time convenient for you.

16. TROY STATE UNIVERSITY:

- a. **Microsoft Certification Seminars:** Troy State University, in conjunction with Solutions Technology, will host two free Microsoft Certification Seminars, 21 Jun, 1830-1930, Bldg 4 (Classroom will be announced), and 24 Jun, 1100-1200, Bldg 4, (Classroom will be announced). The seminars are open to military personnel, dependents, and civilians. TA and VA have been approved for those who qualify. For more information, contact Troy State University at 685-9555 or Solutions Technology at 317-4500.
- b. Attention Unit Commanders, First Sergeants, and Training NCOs: Troy State University, Fort Benning, is seeking units to participate in the Special College Course Program. This program is specifically designed to give Soldiers the opportunity to obtain college credit during duty hours or non-traditional hours. Units are given the flexibility to choose the classes, dates, times, and locations; classes can be condensed to work with the unit training cycle. Additionally, classes can be taught in a variety of areas.
- c. **Continuing Education Courses:** Continuing Education Courses in computer training, physical fitness, language, and many other areas are offered to units upon request. Troy State is available to assist any unit with the simple process of getting a course started. For more details, contact Leon Johnson at (706) 685-9555.

17. VINCENNES UNIVERSITY:

- a. Vincennes University continues to accept registrations for two new programs: Associate of Science Degree in Paralegal/Legal Assistant and Certification in Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Handling.
- b. Summer Term begins 26 Jun. Register for classes until 23 Jun. For registration and information, call 689-0098 or visit Bldg 2614, Soldiers' Plaza.

18. LEAVE DONATION:

a. Mr. Charles Geiger, Transportation Motor Pool, has exhausted

all annual and sick leave. He is having surgery and will be out of work for 6-8 weeks. Anyone wishing to donate leave can contact Beverly Simmons, 545-3840 or email simmonsb@benning.army.mil.

- b. Charlie Bynam, Range Division, DOT, has exhausted all of his sick and annual leave and requests leave donations to help him during his surgery and recovery (80 hrs). Anyone wishing to donate annual leave under the leave donor program should forward a FB(DCP) Form 17 to MER, DCP, Bldg 85, or contact Pat Clark, HQ, Range Division, 545-3551.
- **19. DEFENSE MILITARY PAY OFFICE:** The Defense Military Pay Office will close at noon on 21 Jul 00 for Organization Day. The following offices will be effected:
- Bldg 2622 Soldiers Plaza
- Bldg 3020 Sand Hill
- Bldg 89 Vibbert Avenue
- Bldg 9058 Kelly Hill

POC: SSG Ingraham, 545-3509.

20. 4 JUL HOLIDAY SCHEDULE CHANGES AND CLOSURES:

- a. **Family Housing Branch:** Offices will be closed Monday, 3 Jul, and Tuesday, 4 Jul. POC: Family Housing Office at 545- 2990.
- b. **Self Help (U-DO-IT) Center:** All sections of the Self-Help Center will be closed on Monday, 3 Jul, as normally scheduled. The Center will be closed for the holiday on Tuesday, 4 Jul, and will reopen Wednesday, 5 Jul at 0830. POC is Dr. William C. Shirley, 545-1121.
- c. Yard Waste Pickup: There will be NO yard waste pick-up on Monday, 3 Jul. The next yard waste pick-up will be on 10 Jul as normally scheduled.
- d. **Refuse & Recycle Collection:** There will be **NO** refuse or recycle pick-ups on Tuesday, 4 Jul. Areas normally scheduled for pick-up on Tuesday will be picked up on Monday, 3 Jul, instead. For all other areas, refuse and recycle collection in Family Housing for 3, 5, 6 & 7 Jul will occur as normally scheduled. POC is DPW, Construction Inspection Branch, 545-4232.
- e. **DENTAC Activity:** The Dental Activity will participate in the Post Training Holiday on Monday, 3 Jul. Salomon Dental Clinic will be open for patient care. POC is Pam Collins, 544-3954.

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21. FOR SALE:

- a. JVC 32" stereo TV, dual tuner, PIP, \$475.00. Great for small home theater. Hitchcock chair, \$95.00. Call 291-0570 after 1700.
- b. 1996 Chevy Camaro, silver, AC, 5 speed, power side mirrors, locks and mirrors, alarm system, V6 engine, alloy rims, AM/FM tape player, excellent condition, \$13,000.00 or best offer. Call 685-4835.

OFFICIAL: JOHN C. LATIMER
Colonel, Infantry
Chief of Staff

(Signed)

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Director of Information

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